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The Director referred your letter of 27 August to me for appropriate action and a direct reply to you.

The delay in ensuring your demphter's letters of 5 August and 16 August was amount. We share your concern over the fact that these letters were not acknowledged more premptly. Hornally a reply takes but a small fraction of this time. A reply was sent to your daughter on the 25th of August and has no doubt been received by now.

Tour daughter telephoned the Personnel Office on 17 May them a letter had been prepared but not yet sailed notifying her of provisional clearance for employment. The letter was read to her over the telephone and it was explained that personnel employment would depend on the availability of a suitable opening. Regrettably, from time to time we find it necessary to advise an otherwise acceptable condidate that the position he or she was acheduled to fill has been cancelled for budgetary or other considerations. And this has transpired in your daughter's case.

Mr. Dulles has directed as to convey his regrets over the delay in enswering Serm's letters.

The Agency appreciates the in and we wish her well in her future	cadesvors.	
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